

January 29, 1970

Mrs. Walter Bartz

Services for Mrs. Walter (Arlene) Bartz, 49, rural Stratford, were held at 2 p. m., Thursday, Jan. 22, at the St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Stratford, with the Rev. Melbourne Helling officiating.

Burial was in Sunset Memorial Gardens near Aberdeen.

Mrs. Bartz died Monday in a Sioux Falls Hospital after a short illness.

Dave Suelz was soloist and Mrs. Dayle Luedeke, organist.

Pall bearers were William Radke, Sr., Groton, and C. S. Kramer, Robert Hanson, Allen Hoeft, Clarence McNeil and Duane Reinhardt, all of Stratford.

Arlene Frances Gubin was born Nov. 26, 1920 on a farm near Stratford. She graduated from Stratford High School. On Sept. 16, 1939 she was married to Walter Bartz at Aberdeen. They had farmed near Stratford since that time. She had been a patient at McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls since Dec. 16.

She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, the Ladies' Aid, Women's Missionary League and the Rondell Royals Extension Club.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Randall at home; one daughter, Mrs. John (Sharon) Riley, Mansfield; two brothers, Wm. and Ronald (Jack) Gubin, both of Stratford; two sisters, Mrs. Ervin Wood, Aberdeen and Mrs. Daryl Ellis, Chicago, Ill.; two half sisters, Mrs. Fred Wilke, Stratford and Mrs. Paul Snover, Aberdeen; and three grandchildren. Her parents preceded her in death.